

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., December 27, 1881.

A. London Snowden, Esq.

Supt. U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:-

I have received from the President of the United States, a commission bearing date of the 21st instant, appointing, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, Jacob B. Eckfeldt, at present Assistant Assayer, to be Assayer in the Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

You will please instruct Mr. Eckfeldt to execute a bond in the sum of \$10,000, and upon notification of the approval of his bond by the Secretary of the Treasury you will deliver his commission.

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Very respectfully,

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Director.

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Powers of attorney
of Jacob B. Eckfeldt,
or Assayer of the Mint,
to be delivered to him
when his official Bond
& filed & approved.

No commission was enclosed
in this letter.

Rec'd - Dec. 28th 1881.

[Abstract:] Forwards Commission of Jacob B. Eckfeldt, as Assayer of the Mint... 1217

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[Noted on the back:]

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